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1. A coast guard post ¹ was located about two kilometers south of Pabazi (N 57-14, E 24-25). The post was located west of the road which parallels the coast. It was partly concealed by a high dune in an area enclosed by barbed wire. A wooden tower, which was about 15 meters high and four meters square, with the upper part painted black, was located within the area.
2. A similar tower in a restricted area was observed immediately south of Lani (N 57-40, E 24-20), along a straight newly built permanent road. A notice, indicating that the area was restricted and entry prohibited, was posted. No guards were observed.
3. A military cantonment was located about 17 kilometers south of Riga, on the west side of the road. About twenty one-story barracks were observed in this area which had been the location of a former German PW camp.

1. Comment: Probably an installation controlled by the Sea Border Troops of the MVD, which is often referred to as the MVD Navy. 50X1-HUM

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